

Still, Mr. President, the larger question, the improvement of the Missouri River, is not an idle dream. It would be to our lasting shame to leave it unharnessed and uncontrolled, a demon of destruction, when we have it in our power to make it minister in such large ways to the needs of men. I hope before time sufficient has elapsed to call it a "dream" the belief as to what may be accomplished will be transformed into action. The historian Motley, in the "Rise of the Dutch Republic," after speaking of the spongy land, its frequent overflow, caused by the currents of the rivers forced back by the stormy sea, and the character of the race which inhabited such an inhospitable soil, says:

Here at a later day the same race chained the tyrant ocean and his mighty streams into subservience, forcing them to fertilize, to render commodious, to cover with a beneficent network of veins and arteries and to bind by watery highways with the farthest ends of the world a country disinherited by nature of its rights. A region, outcast of ocean and earth, wrested at last from both domains their richest treasures.

The situations are not parallel in this, that the region west of and tributary to the Missouri in South Dakota and beyond is a dry region. It has the sunshine and the quick, rich soil. But in the matter of rainfall it has been "disinherited by nature of its rights." But by the same token and in the same conquering spirit which guided the early Hollanders we will approach this problem, and as a result of a comprehensive and systematic plan to be yet worked out by Federal authority alone or in cooperation with States and communities we shall come to regard the Missouri River as, next to the Mississippi, the greatest national treasure of its kind, a great navigable inland waterway, obedient to the service of that trinity of interests—agriculture, manufactures, and commerce.

Mr. President, I do not think we should take the position that the river and harbor bill should be killed. Expenditures for rivers and harbors are necessary, and time out of mind we have had river and harbor bills. While many of them, not excluding the present one, may have provided for unwarranted expenditures, that fact does not justify wholesale condemnation of the bill. I can not bring myself to yield to the indiscriminating attack made by the newspapers and magazines, who, taking "pork barrel" as a term to conjure with, have denounced the bill and those who favor it. Many of them are like people who join in a "hue and cry"; they do not know the cause or who is pursued; and I venture the assertion that many of those who, through the newspapers, are condemning the bill wholesale could not speak from knowledge or information as to the merits or demerits of one out of forty of the three hundred or more items of appropriation contained in the bill.

I have not formed an opinion yet as to most of the items contained in the pending bill. I am ready to give all objections to any item and all amendments striking out or reducing the amount called for by any item the most careful consideration. If satisfied that a particular appropriation is not just, that it is a waste of money, I shall, notwithstanding my vital interest in any item to which I have called attention, gladly join with others in helping to defeat it. Under all the circumstances this, it seems to me, is the better method of procedure; it will lead to more profitable discussion and will tend to expedite rather than delay our work here.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

A message from the House of Representatives, by D. K. Hempstead, its enrolling clerk, announced that the House had passed the bill (S. 4274) to authorize and require an extension of the street railway lines of the Washington Railway & Electric Co., and for other purposes.

#### ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED.

The message also announced that the Speaker of the House had signed the following enrolled bills, and they were thereupon signed by the Presiding Officer:

H. R. 6433. An act to relocate the headquarters of the customs district of Florida;

H. R. 9318. An act to amend an act approved June 25, 1910, entitled "An act to establish postal savings depositories for depositing savings at interest with the security of the Government for repayment thereof, and for other purposes"; and

H. R. 13219. An act to provide, in the interest of public health, comfort, morals, and safety, for the discontinuance of the use as dwellings of buildings situated in the alleys in the District of Columbia.

#### RECESS.

Mr. SIMMONS. I move that the Senate take a recess until 11 o'clock on Monday morning.

The motion was agreed to; and (at 5 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m., Saturday, September 19, 1914) the Senate took a recess until Monday, September 21, 1914, at 11 o'clock a. m.

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

FRIDAY, September 18, 1914.

The House met at 12 o'clock noon.

The Chaplain, Rev. Henry N. Couden, D. D., offered the following prayer:

We thank Thee, our Father in heaven, for our great Nation, with its vast and varied resources, its peculiar form of government, unparalleled in all history for its civil, political, and religious rights. Realizing that eternal vigilance is the price not only of liberty but of everything worthy, increase, we beseech Thee, our vigilance, quicken our patriotism, and make us zealous in every good work, that peace and prosperity may continue to smile upon us and good government obtain now and always; in the spirit of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the Journal.

Mr. MANN. Mr. Speaker, I make the point of order there is no quorum present.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Illinois [Mr. MANN] makes the point of order there is no quorum present, and evidently there is not.

#### CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Mr. RUSSELL. Mr. Speaker, I move a call of the House.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Missouri [Mr. RUSSELL] moves a call of the House.

The question was taken, and the motion was agreed to.

The Clerk called the roll, and the following Members failed to answer to their names:

Alken	Gardner	L'Engle	Rainey
Austin	George	Levy	Relly, Conn.
Barchfeld	Gillett	Lewis, Pa.	Riordan
Bartholdt	Goldfogle	Lindquist	Roberts, Mass.
Bartlett	Good	Linthicum	Roberts, Nev.
Beall, Tex.	Gorman	Lobeck	Rothermel
Bell, Cal.	Graham, Pa.	Loft	Saunders
Brodbeck	Gregg	McAndrews	Scully
Brown, N. Y.	Griest	McClellan	Sells
Browning	Guernsey	Mahan	Smith, Md.
Brumbaugh	Hamill	Maher	Smith, N. Y.
Burke, Pa.	Hamilton, N. Y.	Manahan	Steenerson
Calder	Hensley	Martin	Stevens, N. H.
Cantrill	Hinds	Merritt	Stout
Carlin	Hobson	Metz	Stringer
Coady	Howard	Morin	Talbot, Md.
Connolly, Iowa	Hoxworth	Murdock	Thacher
Conry	Hughes, W. Va.	Norton	Townsend
Covington	Humphreys, Miss.	Oglesby	Tuttle
Crisp	Jones	O'Hair	Vare
Dale	Kennedy, Conn.	Palge, Mass.	Volstead
Driscoll	Kent	Palmer	Wallin
Elder	Kless, Pa.	Parker	Watkins
Evans	Kindel	Payne	Webb
Faison	Kinhead, N. J.	Peters	Wilson, Fla.
Fitzgerald	Knowland, J. R.	Powers	Wilson, N. Y.
Floyd, Ark.	Korbly	Prouty	Woodruff

The SPEAKER. On this roll call 323 Members, a quorum, answered to their names.

Mr. RUSSELL. Mr. Speaker, I move that further proceedings under the call of the House be dispensed with.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Missouri moves that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

The question was taken, and the Speaker announced the yeas seemed to have it.

Mr. MANN. Mr. Speaker, I ask for the yeas and nays.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Illinois demands the yeas and nays.

Mr. HEFLIN. Mr. Speaker, I make the point of order that the gentleman's motion is dilatory.

The SPEAKER. The demand for the yeas and nays is a constitutional right, and while it has been held once it is dilatory the Chair does not feel like holding that way, because he does not believe it is right. Those in favor of ordering the yeas and nays will rise and stand until they are counted. [After counting.] Sixty-seven gentlemen have risen—a sufficient number—and the Clerk will call the roll.

The question was taken, and there were—yeas 250, nays 76, answered "present" 8, not voting 97, as follows:

#### YEAS—250.

Abercrombie	Borchers	Candler, Miss.	Copley
Adair	Borland	Cantor	Cox
Adamson	Bowdle	Caraway	Crosser
Allen	Brockson	Carew	Cullop
Anderson	Broussard	Carlin	Curry
Ansberry	Brown, W. Va.	Carr	Davenport
Ashbrook	Bruckner	Carter	Decker
Aswell	Bryan	Cary	DeFrick
Balley	Buchanan, Ill.	Casey	Dent
Baker	Buchanan, Tex.	Church	Dershem
Baltz	Bulkley	Clark, Fla.	Dickinson
Barkley	Burgess	Claypool	Dios
Barnhart	Burke, Wis.	Cline	Diffenderfer
Beakes	Burnett	Coady	Dillon
Bell, Ga.	Byrnes, S. C.	Collier	Dixon
Blackmon	Byrns, Tenn.	Connelly, Kans.	Dionhoe
Boother	Callaway	Cooper	Donovan

Dooling	Harrison	McKellar	Slayden
Doolittle	Hart	MacDonald	Slomp
Doughton	Hay	Madden	Small
Eagan	Hayden	Maguire, Nebr.	Smith, Tex.
Eagle	Heflin	Mitchell	Sparkman
Edmonds	Helgesen	Montague	Stafford
Edwards	Helm	Moon	Stedman
Esch	Helvering	Morgan, La.	Stephens, Cal.
Evans	Henry	Morrison	Stephens, Miss.
Falconer	Hill	Moss, Ind.	Stephens, Nebr.
Farr	Hinebaugh	Mulkey	Stephens, Tex.
Fergusson	Hobson	Murray, Mass.	Stone
Ferris	Holland	Murray, Okla.	Sumners
Fields	Houston	Neely, W. Va.	Taggart
Finley	Hughes, Ga.	Norton	Talcott, N. Y.
Fitzgerald	Hull	O'Brien	Tavener
FitzHenry	Igoe	Oldfield	Taylor, Ala.
Flood, Va.	Jacoway	O'Leary	Taylor, Ark.
Floyd, Ark.	Johnson, Ky.	O'Shaunessy	Taylor, Colo.
Foster	Johnson, S. C.	Padgett	Taylor, N. Y.
Francis	Jones	Page, N. C.	Temple
Gallagher	Kaating	Park	Ten Eyck
Gallivan	Keister	Patten, N. Y.	Thomas
Gard	Kelly, Pa.	Peterson	Thompson, Okla.
Garner	Kettner	Phelan	Thompson, Ill.
Garrett, Tenn.	Key, Ohio	Post	Trible
Garrett, Tex.	Kinkead, N. J.	Pou	Tuttle
Gerry	Kirkpatrick	Quin	Underwood
Gill	Kitchin	Ragsdale	Vaughan
Gilmore	Konop	Raker	Vollmer
Gittins	La Follette	Rauch	Walker
Godwin, N. C.	Langley	Rayburn	Walsh
Goeke	Lazaro	Reed	Walters
Goodwin, Ark.	Lee, Ga.	Reilly, Wis.	Watson
Gordon	Lee, Pa.	Rouse	Weaver
Gorman	Leshner	Rubey	Webb
Goulden	Lever	Rucker	Whaley
Graham, Ill.	Lewis, Md.	Rupley	Whitacre
Gray	Lieb	Russell	White
Griffin	Lloyd	Sabath	Williams
Gudger	Lobeck	Saunders	Wilson, Fla.
Hamlin	Logue	Seldomridge	Wingo
Hammond	Loneragan	Shackelford	Witherspoon
Hardwick	McAndrews	Sherley	Young, Tex.
Hardy	McCoy	Sherwood	
Harris	McGillcuddy	Sims	

## NAYS—76.

Ainey	French	Langham	Roberts, Mass.
Anthony	Gillett	McGuire, Okla.	Roberts, Nev.
Avis	Green, Iowa	McKenzie	Rogers
Barton	Greene, Mass.	McLaughlin	Scott
Barthrick	Greene, Vt.	Mann	Shreve
Britten	Hamilton, Mich.	Mapes	Sloan
Browne, Wis.	Haugen	Miller	Smith, Idaho
Burke, S. Dak.	Hawley	Mondell	Smith, J. M. C.
Butler	Hinds	Moore	Smith, Minn.
Campbell	Howell	Morgan, Okla.	Smith, Saml. W.
Cramton	Humbrey, Wash.	Moss, W. Va.	Stevens, Minn.
Danforth	Johnson, Utah	Mott	Stevensland
Davis	Johnson, Wash.	Nelson	Switzer
Drukker	Kahn	Patton, Pa.	Towner
Dunn	Kelley, Mich.	Payne	Treadway
Fairchild	Kennedy, Iowa	Platt	Willis
Fess	Kennedy, R. I.	Plumley	Winslow
Fordney	Kinkaid, Nebr.	Porter	Woods
Frear	Kreider	Prouty	Young, N. Dak.

## ANSWERED "PRESENT"—8.

Clancy	Hullings	Lindbergh	Slason
Glass	Lenroot	Nolan, J. I.	Underhill

## NOT VOTING—97.

Aiken	Estopinal	Lafferty	Reilly, Conn.
Alexander	Faison	L'Engle	Riordan
Austin	Fowler	Levy	Rothermel
Barchfeld	Gardner	Lewis, Pa.	Scully
Bartholdt	George	Lindquist	Sells
Barlett	Goldfogle	Linthicum	Sinnott
Beall, Tex.	Good	Loft	Smith, Md.
Beil, Cal.	Graham, Pa.	McClellan	Smith, N. Y.
Brodbeck	Gregg	Mahan	Stanley
Brown, N. Y.	Griest	Maher	Steenerson
Browning	Guernsey	Manahan	Stevens, N. H.
Brumbaugh	Hamill	Martin	Stout
Burke, Pa.	Hamilton, N. Y.	Merritt	Stringer
Calder	Hayes	Metz	Talbott, Md.
Cantrill	Hensley	Morin	Thacher
Chandler, N. Y.	Howard	Murdock	Townsend
Connolly, Iowa	Hoxworth	Neeley, Kans.	Vare
Conry	Hughes, W. Va.	Oglesby	Volstead
Covington	Humphreys, Miss.	O'Hair	Wallin
Crisp	Kennedy, Conn.	Paige, Mass.	Watkins
Dale	Kent	Palmer	Wilson, N. Y.
Doremus	Kiess, Pa.	Parker	Woodruff
Driscoll	Kindel	Peters	
Dunre	Knowland, J. R.	Powers	
Elder	Korbly	Rainey	

So the motion to dispense with further proceedings under the call was agreed to.

The Clerk announced the following pairs:

For the session:

Mr. SCULLY with Mr. BROWNING.

Mr. METZ with Mr. WALLIN.

Until further notice:

Mr. BROWN of New York with Mr. AUSTIN.

Mr. PALMER with Mr. MARTIN.

Mr. CONNOLLY of Iowa with Mr. MERRITT.

Mr. AIKEN with Mr. BARCHFELD.

Mr. ALEXANDER with Mr. BARTHOLOMT.  
 Mr. BRODBECK with Mr. CALDER.  
 Mr. CANTRILL with Mr. BELL of California.  
 Mr. CANDLER of Mississippi with Mr. BURKE of Pennsylvania.  
 Mr. CONRY with Mr. GOOD.  
 Mr. DOREMUS with Mr. GRAHAM of Pennsylvania.  
 Mr. DUPRE with Mr. GRIEST.  
 Mr. ESTOPINAL with Mr. GUERNSEY.  
 Mr. FAISON with Mr. HAYES.  
 Mr. GOLDFOGLE with Mr. HUGHES of West Virginia.  
 Mr. GREGG with Mr. KIESS of Pennsylvania.  
 Mr. HOWARD with Mr. LAFFERTY.  
 Mr. HUMPHREYS of Mississippi with Mr. LEWIS of Pennsylvania.  
 Mr. FOWLER with Mr. LINDBQUIT.  
 Mr. NEELEY of Kansas with Mr. MANAHAN.  
 Mr. RAINEY with Mr. MORIN.  
 Mr. REILLY of Connecticut with Mr. PAIGE of Massachusetts.  
 Mr. RIORDAN with Mr. POWERS.  
 Mr. STEPHENS of Nebraska with Mr. PARKER.  
 Mr. STOUT with Mr. PETERS.  
 Mr. TALBOTT of Maryland with Mr. VARE.  
 Mr. THACHER with Mr. SELLS.  
 Mr. TOWNSEND with Mr. SINNOTT.  
 Mr. WATKINS with Mr. VOLSTEAD.  
 Mr. LINTHICUM with Mr. WOODRUFF.  
 Mr. CLANCY with Mr. HAMILTON of New York.  
 Mr. HENSLEY with Mr. J. R. KNOWLAND.  
 Mr. UNDERHILL with Mr. STEENPERSON.  
 Mr. BARTLETT with Mr. BUTLER.  
 The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.  
 The SPEAKER. Further proceedings under the call are dispensed with. A quorum is present. The Doorkeeper will open the doors, and the Clerk will read the Journal.

## THE JOURNAL.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday.

During the reading,

Mr. MANN. Mr. Speaker, I ask that the Journal be read in full.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will read the Journal.

The Clerk resumed and concluded the reading of the Journal.  
 The SPEAKER. Without objection, the Journal as read will stand approved.

Mr. MANN. I object, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the approval of the Journal.

Mr. MANN. No motion has been made yet to that effect, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. FITZGERALD. A motion is pending. That is the understanding.

Mr. UNDERWOOD. Mr. Speaker, I move the approval of the Journal.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Alabama [Mr. UNDERWOOD] moves the approval of the Journal. The Chair does not think it requires a motion.

Mr. MANN. Oh, yes; it does. It is always understood.

The SPEAKER. It is like a conference report; nobody ever moves to adopt a conference report.

Mr. MANN. Oh, yes; they do.

The SPEAKER. Anyhow, the motion has been made, and that relieves the difficulty. The question is on the approval of the Journal.

Mr. MANN. Mr. Speaker, am I not entitled to be recognized to move to amend the Journal?

The SPEAKER. Certainly.

Mr. UNDERWOOD. Mr. Speaker, I move the previous question on the motion to approve the Journal.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Alabama moves the previous question on the motion to approve the Journal. Those in favor of ordering the previous question will say "aye"; those opposed "no." The ayes seem to have it.

Mr. MANN. Mr. Speaker, I ask for the yeas and nays.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Illinois [Mr. MANN] asks for the yeas and nays. Those in favor of taking the vote by yeas and nays will rise and stand until they are counted. [After counting.] Fifty-nine gentlemen have risen—not a sufficient number.

Mr. MANN. I ask for the other side.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Illinois demands the other side. Those opposed will rise and stand until they are counted. [After counting.] One hundred and thirty-seven gentlemen have risen in the negative and 59 in the affirmative—a sufficient number. The Clerk will call the roll. Those in



favor of ordering the previous question will, when their names are called, answer "yea"; those opposed will answer "nay."

The question was taken; and there were—yeas 224, nays 80, answered "present" 6, not voting 121, as follows:

## YEAS—224.

Abercrombie	Dickinson	Houston	Rayburn
Adair	Diffenderfer	Hughes, Ga.	Reed
Aiken	Dixon	Hull	Reilly, Wis.
Allen	Donohoe	Igoe	Rouse
Anderson	Donovan	Jacoway	Rubey
Ansberry	Dooling	Johnson, Ky.	Rucker
Ashbrook	Doolittle	Keating	Rupley
Aswell	Doughton	Kelly, Pa.	Russell
Bailey	Eagan	Kirkpatrick	Sabath
Baker	Eagle	Kitchin	Saunders
Baltz	Edwards	Konop	Seldomridge
Barkley	Evans	Lafferty	Shackelford
Barnhart	Fergusson	La Follette	Sherley
Bathrick	Ferris	Langley	Sherwood
Beakes	Fields	Lazaro	Sims
Bell, Ga.	Finley	Lee, Ga.	Sisson
Blackmon	Fitzgerald	Lee, Pa.	Slayden
Booher	FitzHenry	Lenroot	Slemp
Borchers	Flood, Va.	Leshner	Small
Bowdler	Floyd, Ark.	Lewis, Md.	Smith, Tex.
Brockson	Foster	Lieb	Sparkman
Broussard	Francis	Lindbergh	Stanley
Brown, W. Va.	French	Lloyd	Stedman
Bruckner	Gallagher	Lobeck	Stephens, Cal.
Buchanan, Ill.	Gallivan	Logue	Stephens, Miss.
Buchanan, Tex.	Gard	Loneragan	Stephens, Nebr.
Bulkley	Garner	McAndrews	Stephens, Tex.
Burgess	Garrett, Tenn.	McCoy	Stone
Burke, Wis.	Garrett, Tex.	McGillicuddy	Summers
Burnett	Gerry	McKellar	Taggart
Byrnes, S. C.	Gill	MacDonald	Talcott, N. Y.
Byrnes, Tenn.	Gilmore	Maguire, Nebr.	Tavenner
Callaway	Gittings	Mitchell	Taylor, Ala.
Cantor	Godwin, N. C.	Montague	Taylor, Ark.
Cantrill	Goeke	Moon	Taylor, Colo.
Caraway	Goodwin, Ark.	Morrison	Taylor, N. Y.
Carew	Gordon	Moss, Ind.	Ten Eyck
Carlin	Gorman	Mulkey	Thomas
Carr	Goulden	Murray, Mass.	Thompson, Okla.
Carter	Graham, Ill.	Murray, Okla.	Thompson, Ill.
Cary	Gray	Neeley, Kans.	Townsend
Casey	Griffin	Neely, W. Va.	Tribble
Church	Gudger	O'Brien	Tuttle
Cline	Hammond	Oldfield	Underwood
Coady	Hardy	O'Leary	Vaughan
Collier	Harris	Padgett	Walsh
Connelly, Kans.	Harrison	Page, N. C.	Walters
Cox	Hart	Park	Watson
Crosser	Hay	Patten, N. Y.	Webb
Cullop	Hayden	Phelan	Whaley
Davenport	Heflin	Pou	Whitacre
Davis	Helm	Prouty	White
Decker	Helvering	Quin	Williams
Deitrick	Henry	Ragsdale	Winso
Dent	Hill	Raker	Witherspoon
Dershem	Holland	Rauch	Young, Tex.

## NAYS—80.

Ainey	Gillett	Kreider	Roberts, Nev.
Anthony	Good	Langham	Rogers
Avis	Greene, Mass.	McKenzie	Scott
Barton	Greene, Vt.	McLaughlin	Shreve
Britten	Hamilton, Mich.	Madden	Soan
Burke, S. Dak.	Hawley	Mann	Smith, Idaho
Cooper	Hayes	Mapes	Smith, J. M. C.
Cramton	Hinds	Miller	Smith, Saml. W.
Curry	Hinebaugh	Mondell	Stafford
Danforth	Howell	Moore	Stevens, Minn.
Dillon	Hughes, W. Va.	Morgan, Okla.	Sutherland
Drukker	Humphrey, Wash.	Moss, W. Va.	Switzer
Dunn	Johnson, Utah	Mott	Temple
Edmonds	Johnson, Wash.	Nelson	Tewner
Esch	Kahn	Norton	Treadway
Fairchild	Kelster	Patton, Pa.	Winstead
Farr	Kelley, Mich.	Payne	Willis
Fess	Kennedy, Iowa	Platt	Winslow
Fordney	Kennedy, R. I.	Porter	Woods
Frean	Kinkaid, Nebr.	Roberts, Mass.	Young, N. Dak.

## ANSWERED "PRESENT"—6.

Butler	Copley	Hulings	Nolan, J. I.
Clancy	Glass		

## NOT VOTING—121.

Adamson	Conry	Hamlin	Lewis, Pa.
Alexander	Covington	Hardwick	Lindquist
Austin	Crisp	Haugen	Linthicum
Barchfeld	Dale	Helgesen	Loft
Bartholdt	Dies	Hensley	McClellan
Bartlett	Doremus	Hobson	McGuire, Okla.
Beall, Tex.	Driscoll	Howard	Mahan
Bell, Cal.	Dupré	Hoxworth	Maher
Borland	Elder	Humphreys, Miss.	Manahan
Brodbeck	Estopinal	Johnson, S. C.	Martin
Brown, N. Y.	Falconer	Jones	Merritt
Browne, Wis.	Fowler	Kennedy, Conn.	Metz
Browning	Gardner	Kent	Morgan, La.
Brumbaugh	George	Kettner	Morin
Bryan	Goldfogle	Key, Ohio	Murdoch
Burke, Pa.	Graham, Pa.	Kiess, Pa.	Oglesby
Calder	Green, Iowa	Kindel	O'Hair
Campbell	Gregg	Kinkaid, N. J.	O'Shaunessy
Candler, Miss.	Griest	Knowland, J. R.	Paige, Mass.
Candler, N. Y.	Guernsey	Korby	Palmer
Clark, Fla.	Hamill	L'Engle	Parker
Claypool	Hamilton, N. Y.	Levy	Peters
Connolly, Iowa			Peterson

Plumley  
Post  
Powers  
Rainey  
Reilly, Conn.  
Riordan  
Rothermel  
Scully

Sells  
Sinnott  
Smith, Md.  
Smith, Minn.  
Smith, N. Y.  
Steenerson  
Stevens, N. H.  
Stout

Stringer  
Talbot, Md.  
Thacher  
Underhill  
Vare  
Vollmer  
Walker  
Wallin

Watkins  
Weaver  
Wilson, Fla.  
Wilson, N. Y.  
Woodruff

So the previous question was ordered.

The Clerk announced the following additional pairs:

Until further notice:

Mr. WILSON of Florida with Mr. SMITH of Minnesota.

Mr. WALKER with Mr. McGUIRE of Oklahoma.

Mr. MORGAN of Louisiana with Mr. HELGESSEN.

Mr. LEVER with Mr. HAUGEN.

Mr. HARDWICK with Mr. PLUMLEY.

Mr. CLAYPOOL with Mr. GREEN of Iowa.

Mr. CLARK of Florida with Mr. CAMPBELL.

Mr. ADAMSON with Mr. BROWNE of Wisconsin.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The SPEAKER. The previous question is ordered. The question is on the approval of the Journal.

Mr. MANN. I ask for the yeas and nays.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Illinois demands the yeas and nays. Those in favor of ordering the yeas and nays will rise and stand until they are counted. [After counting.] Fifty-one Members have risen—not a sufficient number.

Mr. MANN. I ask for the other side.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Illinois demands the other side. Those opposed to ordering the yeas and nays will rise and stand until they are counted. [After counting.] One hundred and thirty Members in the negative. More than one-fifth—a sufficient number—have seconded the demand for the yeas and nays. The yeas and nays are ordered, and the Clerk will call the roll.

The question was taken; and there were—yeas 291, nays 1, answered "present" 4, not voting 135, as follows:

## YEAS—291.

Abercrombie	Dent	Hay	Moss, W. Va.
Adair	Dershem	Hayden	Mott
Aiken	Dickinson	Heflin	Mulkey
Ainey	Diffenderfer	Helvering	Murray, Mass.
Alexander	Dillon	Henry	Murray, Okla.
Allen	Dixon	Hill	Neeley, Kans.
Anderson	Donohoe	Hinds	Neely, W. Va.
Ansberry	Donovan	Hinebaugh	Nelson
Ashbrook	Dooling	Holland	Nolan, J. I.
Aswell	Doolittle	Houston	O'Brien
Avis	Doughton	Howell	Oldfield
Bailey	Drukker	Hughes, Ga.	O'Leary
Baker	Dunn	Hughes, W. Va.	O'Shaunessy
Baltz	Eagan	Hull	Padgett
Barchfeld	Eagle	Humphrey, Wash.	Page, N. C.
Barkley	Edmonds	Igoe	Park
Barnhart	Edwards	Jacoway	Patten, N. Y.
Barton	Esch	John-on, Ky.	Payne
Bathrick	Evans	Johnson, S. C.	Peterson
Beakes	Fairchild	Johnson, Utah	Phelan
Bell, Ga.	Falconer	Johnson, Wash.	Platt
Blackmon	Farr	Kahn	Plumley
Booher	Fergusson	Kelly, Pa.	Porter
Borchers	Ferris	Kennedy, Iowa	Pou
Borland	Fess	Kennedy, R. I.	Prouty
Britten	Fields	Kinkaid, Nebr.	Quin
Brockson	Finley	Kirkpatrick	Ragsdale
Broussard	Fitzgerald	Kitchin	Raker
Bruckner	FitzHenry	Konop	Rauch
Bryan	Flood, Va.	Kreider	Rayburn
Buchanan, Ill.	Floyd, Ark.	Lafferty	Reed
Buchanan, Tex.	Foster	La Follette	Reilly, Wis.
Bulkley	Fowler	Langham	Roberts, Mass.
Burgess	Francis	Langley	Roberts, Nev.
Burke, S. Dak.	Gallagher	Lazaro	Rozers
Burke, Wis.	Gallivan	Lee, Ga.	Rouse
Burnett	Gard	Lee, Pa.	Rubey
Byrnes, S. C.	Garner	Lenroot	Rucker
Byrnes, Tenn.	Garrett, Tenn.	Leshner	Rupley
Callaway	Garrett, Tex.	Lewis, Md.	Russell
Cantor	Gerry	Lieb	Sabath
Cantrill	Gill	Lindbergh	Saunders
Caraway	Gilmore	Lloyd	Scott
Carew	Gittings	Lobeck	Seldomridge
Carlin	Glass	Logue	Shackelford
Carr	Goeke	Loneragan	Sherley
Carter	Goodwin, Ark.	McAndrews	Sherwood
Cary	Gordon	McGillicuddy	Shreve
Casey	Goulden	McKellar	Sims
Church	Graham, Ill.	McKenzie	Sisson
Cline	Gray	MacDonald	Slayden
Coady	Green, Iowa	Madden	Slemp
Collier	Greene, Mass.	Maguire, Nebr.	Sloan
Connelly, Kans.	Greene, Vt.	Mann	Small
Cooper	Griffin	Mapes	Smith, J. M. C.
Cox	Gudger	Miller	Smith, Minn.
Cramton	Hammond	Mitchell	Smith, Saml. W.
Crosser	Hardwick	Mondell	Smith, Tex.
Cullop	Hardy	Montague	Sparkman
Curry	Harrison	Moon	Stafford
Davenport	Hart	Morgan, La.	Stedman
Davis	Haugen	Morgan, Okla.	Stephens, Cal.
Decker	Hawley	Morrison	Stephens, Miss.
Deitrick		Moss, Ind.	Stephens, Tex.

Stone  
Summers  
Sutherland  
Switzer  
Taggart  
Talcott, N. Y.  
Tavener  
Taylor, Ala.  
Taylor, Ark.

Taylor, Colo.  
Taylor, N. Y.  
Temple  
Ten Eyck  
Thomas  
Thompson, Okla.  
Thomson, Ill.  
Towner  
Treadway

Tribble  
Tuttle  
Underwood  
Vollmer  
Walker  
Walters  
Watson  
Weaver  
Webb

Whaley  
White  
Williams  
Willis  
Wingo  
Witherspoon  
Young, N. Dak.  
Young, Tex.

NAYS—1.  
Stevens, Minn.

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—4.

Butler                      Hullings                      Moore                      Underhill  
NOT VOTING—135.

Adamson	Estopinal	Kettner	Post
Anthony	Faison	Key, Ohio	Powers
Austin	Fordney	Kless, Pa.	Rainey
Bartholdt	Frear	Kindel	Reilly, Conn.
Bartlett	French	Kinkead, N. J.	Riordan
Beall, Tex.	Gardner	Knowland, J. R.	Rothermel
Bell, Cal.	George	Korbly	Scully
Bowdle	Gillett	L'Engle	Sells
Brodbeck	Godwin, N. C.	Lever	Sinnott
Brown, N. Y.	Goldfogle	Levy	Smith, Idaho
Brown, W. Va.	Gorman	Lewis, Pa.	Smith, Md.
Browne, Wis.	Graham, Pa.	Lindquist	Smith, N. Y.
Browning	Gregg	Linthicum	Stanley
Brumbaugh	Griest	Loft	Steenerson
Burke, Pa.	Guernsey	McClellan	Stephens, Nebr.
Calder	Hamill	McCoy	Stevens, N. H.
Campbell	Hamilton, Mich.	McGuire, Okla.	Stout
Candler, Miss.	Hamilton, N. Y.	McLaughlin	Stringer
Chandler, N. Y.	Hamlin	Mahan	Talbot, Md.
Clancy	Harris	Maher	Thacher
Clark, Fla.	Hayes	Manahan	Townsend
Claypool	Helgesen	Martin	Vare
Connolly, Iowa	Helm	Merritt	Vaughan
Conry	Hensley	Metz	Volstead
Copley	Hobson	Morin	Wallin
Covington	Howard	Murdock	Walsh
Crisp	Hoxworth	Norton	Watkins
Dale	Humphreys, Miss.	Oglesby	Whitacre
Danforth	Jones	O'Hair	Wilson, Fla.
Dies	Keating	Palge, Mass.	Wilson, N. Y.
Doremus	Keister	Palmer	Winslow
Driscoll	Kelley, Mich.	Parker	Woodruff
Dupré	Kennedy, Conn.	Patton, Pa.	Woods
Elder	Kent	Peters	

So the Journal was approved.

The Clerk announced the following additional pairs:

Until further notice:

Mr. BROWN of West Virginia with Mr. COPLEY.

Mr. GODWIN of North Carolina with Mr. FREAR.

Mr. CONRY with Mr. FRENCH.

Mr. DIES with Mr. FORDNEY.

Mr. HELM with Mr. GILLETT.

Mr. KEATING with Mr. HAMILTON of Michigan.

Mr. KEY of Ohio with Mr. NORTON.

Mr. MCCOY with Mr. KEISTER.

Mr. O'HAIR with Mr. KELLY of Michigan.

Mr. HAMLIN with Mr. PATTON of Pennsylvania.

Mr. POST with Mr. McLAUGHLIN.

Mr. KENNEDY of Connecticut with Mr. SMITH of Idaho.

Mr. CLANCY. Mr. Speaker, I desire to vote.

The SPEAKER. Was the gentleman in the Hall listening when his name should have been called?

Mr. CLANCY. No; I was down in the restaurant.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman does not bring himself within the rule.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message from the Senate, by Mr. Carr, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed without amendment bill of the following title:

An act (H. R. 13219) to provide in the interest of public health, comfort, morals, and safety for the discontinuance of the use as dwellings of buildings situated in the alleys in the District of Columbia.

#### ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED.

Mr. ASHBROOK, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that they had examined and found truly enrolled bills of the following titles, when the Speaker signed the same:

H. R. 6433. An act to relocate the headquarters of the customs district of Florida; and

H. R. 9318. An act to amend the act approved June 25, 1910, entitled "An act to establish postal savings depositories for depositing savings at interest with the security of the Government for repayment thereof, and for other purposes."

#### LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Mr. BOTHERMEL, for one week, on account of illness.

#### ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. UNDERWOOD. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 2 o'clock and 4 minutes p. m.) the House adjourned until Saturday, September 19, 1914, at 12 o'clock noon.

#### CHANGE OF REFERENCE.

Under clause 2 of Rule XXII, committees were discharged from the consideration of the following bills, which were referred as follows:

A bill (H. R. 10228) granting an increase of pension to Edward F. Soule; Committee on Invalid Pensions discharged, and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

A bill (H. R. 17866) granting a pension to William H. Culler; Committee on Invalid Pensions discharged, and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

#### PUBLIC BILLS, RESOLUTIONS, AND MEMORIALS.

Under clause 3 of Rule XXII,

Mr. SABATH introduced a bill (H. R. 18851) to prohibit the sale or gift of intoxicating liquors to minors within the admiralty and maritime jurisdiction of the United States, which was referred to the Committee on Alcoholic Liquor Traffic.

#### PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Under clause 1 of Rule XXII, private bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. BOWDLE: A bill (H. R. 18852) granting a pension to R. M. Wheeler; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. BYRNS of Tennessee: A bill (H. R. 18853) for the relief of the estate of William King, deceased; to the Committee on War Claims.

By Mr. DONOVAN: A bill (H. R. 18854) granting an increase of pension to Jane A. Dickinson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 18855) granting an increase of pension to Agnes M. Kesler; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. EDMONDS: A bill (H. R. 18856) for the relief of Luther L. Martin; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. EDWARDS: A bill (H. R. 18857) for the relief of the heirs at law of the late Joseph S. Claghorn and John Cunningham, both now deceased; to the Committee on War Claims.

By Mr. FERGUSON: A bill (H. R. 18858) for the relief of the heirs of Manuel Madrid; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. GALLAGHER: A bill (H. R. 18859) for the relief of John M. Dimmick; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. J. R. KNOWLAND: A bill (H. R. 18860) granting a pension to Martha Bartl; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. LANGHAM: A bill (H. R. 18861) granting a pension to Mary J. Adams; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 18862) granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth J. Milliken; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. SHREVE: A bill (H. R. 18863) granting a pension to Eva Kern; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 18864) granting an increase of pension to Raphael C. Loupe; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 18865) granting an increase of pension to John A. Brindle; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 18866) granting an increase of pension to Franklin M. Cole; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 18867) granting an increase of pension to Delancey S. Drake; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 18868) granting a pension to John O'Hagan; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 18869) granting an increase of pension to Adelaide E. Pratt; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 18870) granting an increase of pension to John M. Robinson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 18871) granting an increase of pension to Matthew Rowland; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 18872) granting an increase of pension to Jane Williams; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

#### PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of Rule XXII, petitions and papers were laid on the Clerk's desk and referred as follows:

By the SPEAKER (by request): Petition of the Commercial Exchange of Philadelphia, Pa., against House bill 18666, for Government ownership of vessels engaged in the foreign trade; to the Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries.



By Mr. BYRNS of Tennessee: Papers to accompany a bill for relief of estate of William King, deceased; to the Committee on War Claims.

By Mr. J. I. NOLAN: Protest of the Allied Printing Trades Council of Greater New York, against the passage of House bill 16238, to amend the copyright laws; to the Committee on Patents.

Also, protest of the American Publishers' Association, of New York City, against favorable report on House bill 16238, to amend the copyright law; to the Committee on Patents.

Also, communication from the International Typographical Union, favoring the amendment of section 85, House bill 15902, to prohibit the printing of "return cards" on Government stamped envelopes; to the Committee on Printing.

Also, resolutions of the Socialist Party of California, favoring the passage of the Hamill bill (H. R. 5139), for the retirement of superannuated Federal civil-service employees; to the Committee on Reform in the Civil Service.

Also, protest of the Milwaukee-Waukesha Brewing Co., against any additional revenue tax on beer; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. VOLLMER: Petition of A. M. Hall, jr., and others, in favor of the Stevens bill (H. R. 13305), against price cutting and other dishonest trade abuses; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

SATURDAY, September 19, 1914.

The House met at 12 o'clock noon.

The Chaplain, Rev. Henry N. Couden, D. D., offered the following prayer:

Thou Grace Divine, encircling all,  
A shoreless, soundless sea,  
Wherein at last our souls must fall—  
O love of God most free!

Impart unto us, we pray Thee, plenteously of Thy grace, that we may with all diligence fulfill the obligations devolving upon us to-day and be the better prepared for the duties of to-morrow, adding wisdom to wisdom, knowledge to knowledge, strength to strength, purity to purity, love to love.

Count that day lost whose low-descending sun  
Sees at thy hand no worthy action done.

Thus may we reach the purest aspirations of our souls and prove ourselves worthy sons of the living God. In His name. Amen.

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was read and approved.

### RESTORATION OF A PAIR.

Mr. BUTLER. Mr. Speaker, for many years I have had an arrangement for a pair with the gentleman from Georgia, Mr. BARTLETT. I can not understand why on yesterday I forgot that arrangement and voted. I should not have done so, because the division was largely of a partisan nature. I ask unanimous consent of the House to have the Record changed to show that I answered "present," and keep my pair with the gentleman from Georgia, Mr. BARTLETT.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Pennsylvania says that he has a general pair with the gentleman from Georgia, Mr. BARTLETT, and on yesterday on what was practically a political question he inadvertently voted. He now asks unanimous consent of the House to have that changed, to withdraw his vote, and answer "present." It will not change the result. Is there objection? [After a pause.] The Chair hears none.

### EXTENSION OF THE LINES OF THE WASHINGTON RAILWAY & ELECTRIC CO.

Mr. CARAWAY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the bill (S. 4274) to authorize and require an extension of the street railway lines of the Washington Railway & Electric Co., and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER. Is there a similar bill reported and on the calendar?

Mr. CARAWAY. Yes; the bill H. R. 12502, an identical bill.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Arkansas asks unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table and consider the bill S. 4274, a similar House bill being reported and on the calendar. The Clerk will report the bill.

The Clerk read as follows:

An act to authorize and require an extension of the street railway lines of the Washington Railway & Electric Co., and for other purposes.

Be it enacted, etc., That the Washington Railway & Electric Co., of the District of Columbia, be, and it is hereby, authorized and required to construct an electric railway, beginning where its present tracks on Nichols Avenue intersect Portland Street SE., thence along Portland

Street in a westerly direction to Fourth Street SW.: *Provided*, That said railway shall be constructed and operated by overhead electric system and may cross the tracks of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad on grade, on condition only that before any of the cars of the said Washington Railway & Electric Co. shall cross such tracks said last-named company shall, at its own expense, install at such crossing an automatic safety device of such style and pattern as will make travel over said crossing safe, and which before being operated shall be inspected and approved by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia.

SEC. 2. That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to institute in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, within 30 days after the passage of this act, in accordance with the provisions of subchapter 1 of chapter 15 of the Code of Laws for the District of Columbia, a proceeding in rem to condemn the land that may be necessary for the opening of Portland Street as laid down on the permanent system of highways of the District of Columbia contained in an act of Congress approved March 2, 1893, entitled "An act to provide a permanent system of highways in the part of the District of Columbia lying outside of cities," as amended by an act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, and other acts amendatory thereof: *Provided*, That the entire amount found to be due and awarded by the jury in said proceedings as damages for and in respect of the land to be condemned for said extension, plus the cost and expenses of said proceedings, shall be assessed by the jury as benefits; and that there is hereby appropriated out of the revenues of the District of Columbia an amount sufficient to pay the necessary costs and expenses of the said condemnation proceedings taken pursuant hereto and for the payment of the amount awarded as damages, to be repaid to the District of Columbia from the assessments for benefits and covered into the Treasury to the credit of the revenues of the District of Columbia.

SEC. 3. That the street railway extension provided for in section 1 hereof shall be begun within three months after the judgment has been made final in the condemnation proceedings provided for in section 2, and shall be completed, with cars running thereon, within a period of one year from said date; and the said Washington Railway & Electric Co. shall, within 30 days from the date of the final judgment in the said condemnation proceedings, deposit with the collector of taxes of the District of Columbia the sum of \$1,000 to guarantee the construction of said extension within the prescribed time, and if said extension is not completed, with cars running thereon, within the prescribed time, said \$1,000 shall be forfeited to the District of Columbia.

SEC. 4. That, in addition to the deposit hereinbefore referred to, the said company shall deposit such further sum or sums as the commissioners may require to cover the cost of inspection and the cost of changes to public constructions or appurtenances in public highways caused by the construction of said extension.

SEC. 5. That all plans of location and construction of said extension shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, and all excavations in public highways shall be made under permits from said commissioners and subject to regulations prescribed by them. That said extension shall be constructed in a substantial and durable manner, subject to the inspection of said commissioners, and all changes to existing construction and appurtenances in public space shall be made at the expense of said railway.

SEC. 6. That the said Washington Railway & Electric Co. shall have, over and respecting the extension of its lines herein provided for, the same rights, powers, and privileges that it has by its charter and amendments or by law over and respecting its routes, and shall be subject, in respect thereto, to all the other provisions and requirements, duties and obligations of its charter and amendments and of law. That in addition to the obligation placed upon said company by its charter and law regarding the maintenance of the space between its rails and tracks and 2 feet adjacent thereto on each side thereof the said company shall, in connection with its track construction and simultaneously therewith, grade the highways through which its tracks shall be extended, under the provisions of this act, for a distance of 2 feet outside the outer rails of its tracks to such section and profile as may be approved by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, and shall bear and defray all of the costs of such grading, which shall be done to the entire satisfaction of said commissioners.

SEC. 7. That Congress reserves the right to alter, amend, or repeal this act.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection?

Mr. MADDEN. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, I see that this bill provides that there shall be an overhead trolley to operate these street cars. I do not know how many miles of streets this extension is to run over. I would not like to see the policy adopted of putting overhead trolleys now in the thickly settled portions of the District of Columbia, although we have overhead-trolley lines in some places. I believe that all of these lines ought to be put under ground as fast as possible. I am rather inclined to think that no consideration ought to be given to any new legislation for the operation of street cars within the District by the overhead-trolley system.

Mr. CARAWAY. Will the gentleman let me tell him where this is?

Mr. MADDEN. Yes.

Mr. CARAWAY. This is a line being extended on Congress Heights, outside of the built-up district, to a steel plant where there are 600 men employed. It is 6,000 feet from the mill to the nearest car line. This is being extended for their exclusive benefit. It is outside of any built-up section of the District, and it is under an agreement between the steel plant and the railway company for the benefit of the employees of the mill. It saves these men one fare.

Mr. MADDEN. I do not care to do anything to inconvenience the men employed in the steel plant. On the other hand, I would be glad to do everything for their convenience. But while enacting a law of this kind, should not we provide proper safeguards against possible loss of life by overhead trolleys, like the breaking of a wire or something of that sort?